(d) It is expected that during the current year, the company may produce around 178 million tonnes coal against the target of 183.50 million tonnes.

Recovery of overcharged amounts

648. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Supreme Court delivered judgement dismissing the petitions filed by certain drug companies challenging the Government notified prices;

(b) if so, when was such judgement delivered;

(c) what action has been taken on the judement against the drug companies involved;

(d) whether Government have worked out the overchrged amount for recovery;

(e) if so, what is the final amount worked out against each company and upto what period;

(f) whether it is a fact that Government have noticed certain irregularities in these calculations;

(g) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(h) what is the amount recovered from each company upto 31st January, 1990 ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) 10th April, 1987 and 1st May, 1987.

(c) to (d) A Special Team was constituted to determine the amount recoverable from all the companies involved the Supreme Court case. The assessments, made by the team are being scrutinised and a decision in this regard will be taken shortly.

(h) The amount received from the Companies upto 31-1-90 is given below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Company	(Rs. in lakhs)
1	2	3
1.	M/s. Hoechst (I) Ltd.	312·10
2.	M/s. Cyanamic (I) Ltd.	100·00
3.	M/s. John Wyeth (I) Ltd.	45·00
4.	M/s. Pfizer Limited	19·90
5.	M/s. Franc Indian Ph. Ltd.	1·43
6.	M/s. Ethnor Ltd.	8·00

Import of intermediates for the production of bulk drugs

649. CHOWDHARY RAM SEWAK : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that certain organised sector units were found importing intermediates during 1989 for the production of bulk drugs contrary to the approved conditions;

(b) if so, when did such instances come to the notice of his Ministry;

(c) whether his Ministry took any action in the matter; and

(d) if so, when and what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY) : (a) No unit in the organised sector was found to import intermediates in violation of conditions of the approval in the year 1989.

(b) to (d) Does not arise.